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Skate-A-Thon success? It won't be known

until money is counted

The Skate-A-Thon sponsored by the St. Albert Kinsmen Club to raise funds for an artificial ice plant for the new arena outwardly appeared to be a success Sunday afternoon.

But Skate-A-Thon Chairman Ernie Speake isn't saying anything along that line until the money is counted and in the bank.

Mr. Speake said Tuesday that the response was good, but it remained to be seen how much of the money pledged would actually come in.

It looked like a success from the participation standpoint, but we won't know for two weeks if it was a financial success," he said.

"We have to allow for a 20 to 25 per cent loss. That seems to have been the ratio in other centres."

Mr. Speake said 464 skaters participated in the Skate-A-Thon, including Lt.-Gov. J. W. Grant MacEwan, Mayor Ray Gibbon, Councillor Rene Kambouroff and Kinsmen President Tom White.

They raised more than \$1,300 between them, giving

the fund a solid start.

The mayor lasted the most laps among the four, skating 34 for a total of \$350.88. The lieutenant-governor brought in the most cash, \$522.50 on 30 laps.

Councillor Kambouroff skated 22 laps for \$261.30 and Mr. White 25 laps for \$212.75, which means Mr. White is on a diet of crow this week, having bet that he would raise more money than all councillors combined.

Mayor Gibbon said he would make more than 30 laps if it killed him. It threatened to but he made good his boast.

The youngsters were not to be denied, either. Ten-year-old Mark Stedelbauer skated for \$15 a lap and if he collects all his pledges, he will turn in more than \$600. He skated 41 laps.

Twelve-year-old Stephen Lister was the skating champion for the day, putting in 80 laps. Rodney Gouchey and Rory Ryder each completed 70, Mike Byl had 68 and Chris Keith and Mark Cunningham each 67.

From there the count dropped to around 60, with quite a few making that many.

Mr. Speake said the Kinsmen faced a lot of administration work, totalling the pledges and then seeing that they were collected.

"We're not going to sit on it," he said. We'll see who is going to collect and who isn't. We'll just have to go and ask them. We want to know how much we made."

Pledge money should be turned into the Bank of Nova Scotia, preferably before March 6. It can be in cash or made payable to the Kinsmen Club of St. Albert.

4 businesses broken into

Four St. Albert business establishments were broken into last week.

Thieves entered Jasper Auto Parts on Thursday night and escaped with \$900.

Friday night they broke into the town hall, Paul Kane High School and Tamblyn Drugs.

They got some money from Tamblyn Drugs but none from the town hall. Checks are still being made to see if anything is missing from the high school.

Sing out St. Albert

St. Albert will soon have its own Sing Out group.

Several local high school girls have organized the nucleus of a group to be called Sing Out St. Albert, modelled on the Sing Out Edmonton group which performed here recently.

Practices will be held at the Clubhouse on Grenfell Avenue on Thursday evenings at 7 p.m. All students and adults who enjoy singing are invited to come out and take part.

Interest in the group has been good, with 80 people already signifying that they would like to join.

The group is presently looking for a volunteer musical instructor - preferably a university student with a musical background. Anyone interested is asked to contact Miss Connie Pinder at 599-4587.

Adult supervisors will also be required and any parents who could donate their time for this purpose should contact Miss Deborah Zahara at 599-3729.



THE START OF CROSS-COUNTRY TRIP TO WETASKIWIN
... 45 machines started the trip but only 43 managed to make it

Over the snow to Wetaskiwin

The St. Albert Power Toboggan Club took its longest cross-country tour of the winter last Saturday, traveling to Wetaskiwin to take in part of the North-Am International Power Toboggan races.

Forty-five machines left

St. Albert at 8 a.m. and 43 managed to last the route which went along the Sturgeon and over to CFRN tv, south to the Rex Underwood crusher, across the Sturgeon River and East to Ellerslie, then south to Wetaskiwin.

The total ground covered was 62 miles. The return trip was made by car as the wives of many members drove to Wetaskiwin.

The group was fed by the Bruin Inn before they left St. Albert and they all stopped for coffee en route.

If anyone would like to see the trip, St. Albert Club President Lloyd Sawka says they can do so by watching Sports Aplenty on Channel 5 at 7 p.m. Thursday. The CBC sent a cameraman along on the journey.

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Council kills bylaw rezoning river area

Town Council killed a bylaw Monday night that would have called for the rezoning of a strip of Sturgeon Road to multiple family from residential comprehensive.

Council had held a public hearing on the bylaw to hear objections prior to voting and about 10 residents of the area attended to voice objections.

Four objections had been received in writing.

The objectors asked that

the land, a strip along the river directly east of the highway, be turned into park, claiming that there was not enough parkland in the Braeside area.

Council agreed with the thought, but said that as the town did not own the land, it could not say what should be done with it. Council said it would attempt to bring about a land swap, but there

was limitations here regarding price and the amount of land that would be required.

Councillor R. G. Wheatley made the motion that council not proceed with the bylaw and it was unanimously endorsed.

"I will vote in favor of this because we don't have a proposal for development," Mayor Ray Gibbon said, indicating that he reserved the

right to change his mind if a development proposal was received.

The move killed the bylaw but a new one can be drawn up if a development is put forward.

"If it comes up again, it will be advertised and you will have another kick at the cat," the mayor said.

"We'll be here again," one resident said.



It's a sure sign that spring is not far away when skipping ropes and marbles appear on the local scene. These youngsters were whipping up a storm during noon hour at Father Jan School. And if you think there's nothing to skipping six at a time, date yourself by trying it some time. The photographer declined.



Rose Anne LeBlanc of 142 St. Albert Road holds the trophy she won for finishing tops in her class in lab in the dental assistant course she took at the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology. Rose Anne, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard A. LeBlanc, received her proficiency award at the capping ceremony at NAIT on Saturday. Rose Anne attended St. Albert High School last year.

Candy stripers classes to begin

The Sturgeon General Hospital Auxiliary will start its initial service project next week with the beginning of classes for Candy Stripers, the teen-age volunteers who will be working in the new hospital.

Last week 121 girls and boys registered for the new five-week course.

"With such an overwhelming response, and to keep classes at an optimum number for instruction and discussion, Mrs. Sheila Brummel has organized a continuing series of classes," said Mrs. Mary Campbell of

the Auxiliary.

"Hopefully all those registered will have completed the course by summer."

Through the co-operation of the town, the first classes will start Tuesday, March 3, and Friday, March 6, in the Clubhouse and the Library.

Instructors will be Mrs. Kim Tomlin, Mrs. Marg Dolphin and Mrs. Cathy Weber. Those in the first classes have already been contacted. Later classes will be phoned before the start of their courses, Mrs. Campbell said.

Around Town

A course of Religion In Life Awards for guides, brownies, scouts and cubs has been organized in St. Albert under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Tookey and the sponsorship of the Christian Education Committee of the United Church.

Candidates must be participating in Sunday School or attending church to be eligible.

The first meeting for all groups will be held Sunday, March 1, at 2 p.m. in the United Church.

For further information contact either Mr. or Mrs. Tookey at 17 Greenwich Cres. 599-8325.

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The St. Albert Savings and Credit Union Ltd., will hold its annual meeting in the St. Albert Community Hall at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 28, followed by a dinner and dance.

Tickets are \$3.50 aperson but those who arrive by 7:55 for the business meeting will receive a refund of \$1.

The program includes: Reports of officers on 1969 activities; financial reports; and election of officers.

Tickets can be obtained at the credit union office at 18 Perron St., phone — 599-6982.

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The St. Albert Creative Schools Society Kindergarten classes of Mrs. Van Ens and Mrs. Schoen toured the Alta Sweet Honey Factory last Thursday. The children were fascinated by the way honey was manufactured and each child arrived homewith lots of samples. On Monday, March 2, the morning and afternoon nursery schools along with the kindergarten classes will visit the Fire Hall.

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The Anglican Church Women are planning to hold a bake sale at 10 on Saturday morning, March 21, at Safeway. Proceeds will go towards the purchase of clothing for Indian children.

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A Dutch Auction will be held on March 17 at 8 p.m.

in the kindergarten room of the St. Albert United Church. This auction will be sponsored by the United Church Womens' group. All donations will be picked up by Mrs. H. (Marion) Kay, phone 599-7488.

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Mrs. Mona Borodawka of 16 Gillian Cres. was the winner of the wig and case raffled by the Lady Lions recently. The lucky ticket was drawn at the annual Sweetheart Ball held at the

Club Mocombo. Mrs. J. Kimball sold the winning ticket.

Hearts and cupidswere the theme of the evening. The guests were entertained with a skit put on by several Lady Lions members. This was followed by The Whistlers with a very delightful act. The evening concluded with a smorgasbord supper.

NEWCOMERS

We welcome the following to St. Albert:—

Mr. and Mrs. R. Montague and family; Mr. and Mrs. G.

Hodnett and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. Rice and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagner and family; Mr. and Mrs. Averill and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. Johames, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roux, Miss R. Paulin and Mr. W. Rutledge of the Grandin Park area.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hodges and family; Mr. and Mrs. R. Kuprys; Mr. and Mrs. N. Rix and family; of the Sturgeon Heights district.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Delorme and family; Mr. and Mrs. D. Weiss of Mission Park.

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Council still seeks co-ordinator for EMO

Council voted 5-1 Monday night not to send anyone to the Alberta Emergency Measures Radiological Course in March because it didn't have anyone to send.

Councillor Frank Lukay, who is the town's representative on the Emergency Measures Organization, disagreed with the motion, and called for the appointment of a co-ordinator.

The only hitch here, Mayor Gibbon pointed out, was that when the town adver-

tised no one came forward and the one name that was suggested hadn't answered his letter.

"And he has an unlisted telephone," the mayor added.

"In an emergency no one would be able to get him," Councillor J. J. Bakker quipped.

Councillor Lukay recommended the mayor for the job but this was opposed by both the mayor and other councillors.

Councillor Lukay said that with the hospital presently being constructed in St. Albert, it was possible that the town could be involved in a peace-time disaster. This made it imperative that the town obtain a co-ordinator.

"If we don't, we may as well opt out of EMO," he said. "We'll just be paying for something that we're not really a part of."

Council will continue to look for a co-ordinator.

RAYMOND HENRY CAN'T BELIEVE IT
... he could still be smuggled in a nice, warm bed

Peewee Reps tie Calder

St. Albert's Peewee Representative Team battled to a 1-1 stalemate with Calder peewees in St. Mary's Arena on Saturday night.

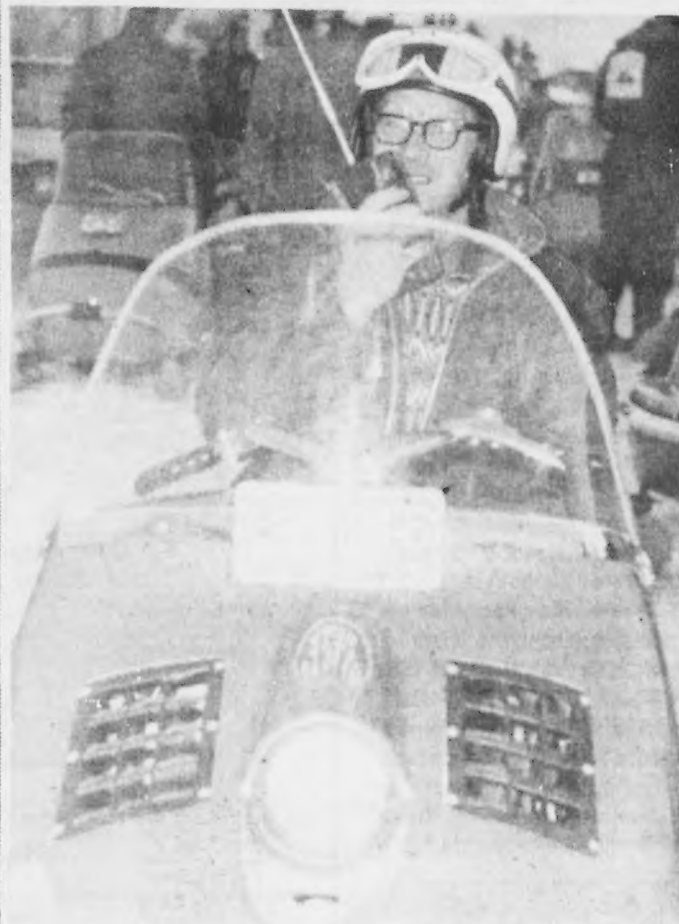
The first period was

scoreless but Steve Lister put St. Albert ahead in the second, taking a breakaway pass from Gary Muzichuk.

Calder tied the game midway through the third period.



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SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6

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D. L. White
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"Star of the North" shines

by Lois Bridges

A group of St. Albert teen-agers sat in a circle, discussing what "turned them on — and off." The talk ranged from art and music to racial prejudice, phones and "doing your own thing."

Another group was acting out real-life situations in a spontaneous drama session aimed at helping them learn more about themselves and each other.

The two groups came together to watch a mind-bending multi-media presentation of film and slides which bombarded the senses with impressions that bounced simultaneously off four screens.

Together they also spent a period of silence and meditation in a darkened room, lit only by a candle, with no sound but the soft background music of a single guitar.

At various times during the evening, they sang, talked, listened, prayed, questioned. They communicated.

What was it all about? Was this what they call happenings?

In a sense, it was. This group of Grade 11 and 12 students from St. Albert High School was attending a twilight retreat at the Star of the North Retreat Centre in St. Albert — and according to the retreat masters and the young people themselves, the expression of thought and feeling that comes out of such a session does indeed constitute a happening.

What is a retreat?

One definition is: a period of time spent away from home, family and familiar environment — a withdrawal to a peaceful atmosphere conducive to self-examination and the discovery of life's meaning and goals.

A twilight retreat such as these teen-agers were attending lasts from 4:30 to 10:30 p.m. and is just one of many types of retreats offered by the centre.

There are two-day retreats, usually held on weekends, private retreats for the person who wants to be alone for a few hours or a few days, and longer retreats of several days, arranged for religious and business organizations.

If the words "retreat house" make you think vaguely of damp, dark, stone corridors, monastic cells and solemn dirges — a visit to the Star of the North Retreat Centre will update the image considerably.

The centre is housed in a two-storey, H-shaped stucco building, constructed in 1953 and added to in the intervening years. Part of the complex of buildings which dominates the north hill of St. Albert and which includes Father Lacombe's Mission, the Roman Catholic church and rectory, the centre commands a beautiful view of the Sturgeon valley.

Inside, the atmosphere is warm, cheerful, serene. The 60 private guest rooms are simple, yet bright and comfortable.

Hallways are dotted with conversation areas where comfortable, well-worn chairs invite retreatants to sit and talk — or simply sit in silence and enjoy the peace and serenity of the surroundings.

The main lounge is furnished in Danish modern. Beamed ceilings, broad-loomed floors, a massive stone fireplace all add to the warm and relaxing atmosphere.

The retreat centre is operated by the Oblate Fathers — a Roman Catholic order which originated in the south of France in 1815. They have deep roots in St. Albert as it was one of their order, Father Albert Lacombe who established St. Albert as a mission of the Catholic Church in 1861.

In recounting the history of the retreat centre, its pre-

sent director, Father J. O. Fournier told how the building was begun in 1953.

"I was much impressed with retreat houses which were being built in Quebec," he said, "and I felt very strongly that the people of this diocese needed a place to find solace, strength and peace."

"When I was serving as Provincial Superior of the Oblate Fathers in Western Canada from 1950 to 1956, I had my chance to build the retreat centre. I was told I could go ahead as long as I didn't ask for any money."

Construction of the original building was financed by the sale of two pieces of property owned by the Oblate Fathers.

"We started with 28 rooms, a chapel and a lecture room. We used to travel to the old mission for meals to save expenses."

After serving in St. Boniface, Man., and North Battleford, Father Fournier returned last April as director of the retreat centre which he had founded.

Since its inception, more than 40,000 people have attended retreats at the centre.

"We were fortunate in the beginning to have the help of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ayotte of Edmonton," said Father Fournier. "They organized the retreat movement here."

A group of 400 "friends of the retreat" in Alberta, under the direction of Retreat Promoter Father Louis Morin, now publicize the centre through word of mouth and distribution of printed material.

Father Morin feels that more and more people are becoming aware of the existence of the centre. This is an improvement over the time, five years ago, when a random survey showed that only eight per cent of Albertans canvassed had heard of "Star of the North."

"There has been some misunderstanding in the past as to the function of the retreat centre," Father Morin stated. "Some people believed that we operated only as a half-way house for the rehabilitation of drug addicts and alcoholics. Although we do work in this area, the house is definitely open to everyone."

The centre is open to Catholics and non-Catholics alike. Groups of men only, women only and mixed groups attend. About two-thirds of retreatants are women.

There is no established fee for a retreat.

"In the case of an organized group coming in and using our facilities, a fixed fee might be set," Father Morin explained, "but otherwise, participants make anonymous, free-will offerings." These offerings, along with donations and the odd bequest, are the sole means of support for the centre.

At present, there are six full-time staff members involved in counselling and



SPONTANEOUS DRAMA SESSION

... Susan Francel and David Prasley guided by Father Louis Morin



PAT OLSON (LEFT) AND FATHER DESMOND BOWLER prepare for multi-media presentation



FATHER J. O. FOURNIER, DIRECTOR addresses a group of retreatants

guiding the retreatants.

In addition to directing the over-all activities of the retreat centre, Father Fournier, who has over 30 years in the ministry, conducts groups in what Father Morin describes as "an intense and personal experience in prayer."

Father Jules Bidault is the historian of the group. At 86, he is still involved in group work and conducts tours of the church and mission area.

Of special interest to staff member Mrs. Beverley Iwaasa are youth groups. A mother of four, Mrs. Iwaasa is a member of the Lutheran Synod of Alberta and R.C. and has had many years experience counselling parents and adolescents.

"Young people really want adults and they want so badly to communicate," said Mrs. Iwaasa in commenting on the growing interest in youth retreats. "They don't want us to impose adult rules on them and once they see that we don't intend to do that, they really open up — to us and to each other."

"Sometimes we see kids come in here anti-prayering," she said, "but after a retreat, they go home completely different." She added that even when young people leave, apparently untouched by the experience, "the feedback tells us there has been some effect."

Father Desmond Bowler, who has been a retreat master at the centre for the last 18 months, leads groups in a

study of the psychological and spiritual aspects of sexuality. He agreed with Mrs. Iwaasa that in treating adolescents like persons instead of youngsters, a real breakthrough in communication is possible.

"We all have to break through a barrier of fear in order to communicate with one another," stated Father Morin, "and this is especially true of communication between the generations. Once this breakthrough has been accomplished, we see people exhibiting much greater concern for one another's needs."

In addition to his function as retreat promoter, Father Morin leads groups in his

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Star of the North

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special field of psychodrama - a bringing to light of the basic needs of individuals and groups through acting out real-life situations.

A newcomer to the staff, Pat Olson, has a special interest in youth retreats and is doing work in the area of the folk mass.

Lay Brother Louis Gendre is in charge of reception and maintenance at the centre.

A typical weekend retreat begins with registration at 8:30 Friday evening and ends with a celebration of the Eucharist at 3:30 on Sunday afternoon. During their stay, retreatants are offered periods of prayer and meditation interspersed with talks, films and discussion groups. There are opportunities for personal counselling and discussion with the retreat masters.

Although much of the day

is spent in silence in order to give retreatants a chance to ponder and reflect without distraction, coffee breaks and discussion periods throughout the day give participants a chance to mingle and exchange ideas.

A new theme for discussion and meditation is chosen yearly. Many people return for a retreat every year, some every two years.

"Most express a desire to come oftener," said Mrs. Iwaasa. "Some feel they'd like to come back four times a year -- with every change of season."

The group from St. Albert High expressed similar feelings. Some of their remarks were:

"I wish we could come oftener."

"The more you come to retreats, the better they work."

"I wish it could go on all night."

One boy admitted that a retreat made him wonder about things he had never thought too much about before. A group of girls said: "Here we bring things out in the open that we wouldn't ordinarily talk about at home."

They all seemed to share the feeling of a young girl who had attended an earlier retreat. Said Father Bowler: "She summed up her feelings simply by saying -- 'Whenever I come here, I feel happy'."

According to those involved, it's a feeling that very often results when people take time out from the stresses and distractions of day-to-day living in order to examine themselves and to determine where they're going.



When you and your friends are heading for the hills, be sure to remember your camera. A good picture-story should begin with the group arriving on the scene, complete with gear and ski togs that get more colorful every year. Shoot your way right to the summit. . . .

YOUR SKI TRIP: A PICTURE-TAKING ODYSSEY



... then waiting in ambush among the moguls, "freeze" the action on a canvas of color film. Catch the skiers coming head-on for sharpest images. The lade above, at right angles to the camera, is a little blurred. But the blur of a skier in a spray of snow helps capture the feeling of the adventure, making the picture even more satisfying.

Basketball tournament

The North Central basketball playoffs will be held in Legal on Saturday, Feb. 28. The schools competing will be: Redwater, St. Mary's Westlock, Whitecourt, Legal and Morinville.

The schedule is as follows:

(girls) 9:30 a.m. St. Mary's vs Redwater; (boys) 11 a.m. Morinville vs Redwater; (girls) 12 p.m. Legal vs Whitecourt; (boys) 2 p.m. St. Mary's vs. Whitecourt; (girls) 3:30 p.m. Girls' Final; (boys) 5 p.m. Boy's Final.

Namoo

The Namoo local of the Farmer's Union of Alberta held several telephone card parties on Thursday evening, Feb. 19. They were held at the homes of Bud Horricks, Jack Nelson, Cliff Crozier and Harold Clark.

The high winners were Mrs. Betty Samis and Alf Latimer while the prizes for low scores went to Ralph Scragg and Mrs. Pat Boshier.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cameron on the birth of a daughter, Christie

Dawn, on Wednesday, Feb. 18.

The Namoo Canadian Girls in Training group under the leadership of Mrs. K. Diprose and Mrs. R. Tyme held a toboggan party on Saturday, Feb. 14, and had as guests the youth group from Eastwood United Church.

Along with the boys group from Namoo they also sponsored a day of fun on Saturday, Feb. 21, when all the community were invited to take part in power tobogganing and skating.

Lt. Gov. Grant MacEwan has busy schedule

By Mary-Alice Culp

For those who might wonder just what Lt.-Gov. Dr. J. W. Grant MacEwan does with his time, the following frenetic schedule of events in which he participated in over a two-week period of time only, may help fill you in.

Monday, Feb. 16: Dr. MacEwan attended a Guide and Brownie banquet at St. Mary's Anglican Church at 5:15 p.m. and then travelled over to Eastminster Presbyterian Church to attend a Cub and Scout Father and Son banquet at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 17: He was guest speaker at the 127th Cub and Scout Father and Son banquet at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 18: Found him presenting an award for Citizen of the Year to Clarence Stevens at a banquet in the Legion Hall at Mayerthorpe.

Thursday, Feb. 19: I saw him at the 160th Cub and Scout banquet at the Latter Day Saints Church on 142nd Street and 109th Avenue. At 9:30 after delivering a most impressive talk on scouting today, he excused himself to attend a family function.

Friday, Feb. 20: Involved in a National Film Board reception and off again to the 123rd Athlone Father and Son banquet at 6:30.

Saturday, Feb. 21: The lieutenant-governor poured tea at the Jubilee Auditorium for the annual camp tea of the Edmonton Guides, Rangers and Brownies. He left this event in order to fly to Cold Lake to participate in the opening ceremonies of the Cold Lake carnival which opened with a big parade and closed with a dinner and dance.

Sunday, Feb. 22: He flew back to Edmonton on time to take part in our St. Albert Skate-a-thon and he did 30 laps. Then it was on to St.

Paul's United Church to be guest speaker at another Scout Father and Son dinner and after that onto St. Timothy's Anglican Church at 7:30 to attend another Father and Son banquet.

Monday, Feb. 23: Dr. MacEwan drove to Calgary to deliver the welcoming address to the Ladies Curling Association at the Stampede Corral. At 3:30 p.m. the combined Sunnyside and Rosedale Schools sat on the gymnasium floor and listened to his speech on brotherhood. At 8 p.m. was the kickoff to brotherhood week in Calgary at the Planetarium for the council of Christians and Jew's Brotherhood Show.

Tuesday, Feb. 24: Will find him at still another Father and Son banquet in Lacombe.

Wednesday, Feb. 25: He will officiate at the 504 Squadron Air Cadets and parents dinner at 700 Wing.

Thursday, Feb. 26: Dr. MacEwan will speak at the Edmonton separate school teachers seminar lunch at 2:30 p.m. and then he will drive to Calgary to attend and speak for the Calgary Branch Society For The Advancement of Colored People.

Friday, Feb. 27: He will officiate at a luncheon meeting for the administrative section of the Alberta Teacher's Association of greater Edmonton and in the evening will speak at the University of Alberta's Faculty of Agriculture banquet.

Saturday, Feb. 28: A birthday party for Mrs. Bannerman who will be 100 years young.

The list is endless and the lieutenant-governor's calendar is always filled. However, he will always have the time and interest in scouting. Dr. MacEwan feels that the scout movement has always emphasized conser-

vation and he feels that this helps to offset the erosion taking the place of human values.

He does not want today's youth to lose the vigor and resourcefulness that scouting can help counterbalance.

Dr. MacEwan is a vegetarian and feels that there cannot be peace on earth if we cannot live harmoniously and in complete accord with our beautiful surroundings. I noticed also that Dr. MacEwan has no use whatsoever for tobacco and alcohol, tea or coffee. He is an advocate of physical fitness and clean living. I believe that is why he has the physical stamina of so many men half his age.

What I find the most amazing is how with his agenda, he ever has the time to write all of those wonderful books.



DR. GRANT MACEWAN

Report from the Legislature

By Keith Everitt, MLA

This week the big news comes from two departments. The first is the introduction of The School Act.

Education Minister Robert Clark introduced The School Act on Wednesday afternoon. Earlier this session I had requested that after this bill received first reading the Legislature would set aside at least two days for the people of this province to make direct representation to the members.

The minister has stated that March 3 and 4 will be the time designated for such purposes. It would be my hope that those who have expressed disappointment in certain sections of the act will have no hesitation in making their submission on one of these two days.

One of the controversial sections is the provision for school boards to band together for wage bargaining on a zone or regional basis. This is supported by school boards, but opposed by the Alberta Teachers Association.

Section 117 allows the government to set regulations governing school board spending up to a certain amount. If a board desires to go beyond this amount a plebiscite will be necessary.

Greater degrees of freedom will be provided to the school boards to enter into agreements with other boards, municipalities, corporations or persons to provide additional educational services.

Short-term borrowing will no longer need ministerial approval.

School plebiscites are being opened up to all qualified Alberta electors and not just property owners as in

the past. This is one section which is bound to bring considerable debate from both sides of the House. I have considerable reservation in supporting this section. I would appreciate any representation in this regard.

Highways Transportation Minister Gordon Taylor announced that compulsory car testing is now a thing of the past. As Mr. Taylor outlined the program that will continue on a voluntary basis, applause broke out on both sides of the House.

My admiration for this honourable gentleman grows daily as I watch his administrative ability. Mr. Taylor

opposed right from the very beginning the compulsory car inspection program but had no alternative as the Legislature instructed him to bring in this program. It has proven most unpopular especially in Grande Prairie, High Prairie and Red Deer areas.

The big complaint came from motorists who waited until the last couple of days to have their car tested and found themselves in a long line-up and this necessitated a three or four hour wait. I understand in Red Deer some motorists waited overnight to have their cars tested the following day. The

police will likely adopt stricter application of their power to order motor vehicles to be tested for suspected faults.

To date I have received numerous submissions to the advertisement I placed in the Exchange and Mart in relation to directors for the new university. May I thank all those who have submitted names for this position.

It is now my understanding the department will advertise on a province-wide basis for applicants for directors. However, Mr. Clark has asked me to meet with him in this regard before he makes appointments.

An outstanding wood-carver will be one of the feature attractions at the boat and trailer show in April.

W. E. "Doc" Lawson became interested in whittling and wood carving while lending his sons a hand in their boy scout days. In addition to the superb selection of his work which will be on display, "Doc" will demonstrate his carving artistry for visitors.

Birds are his favorite subjects for reproduction, and Mr. Lawson's collection contains varieties ranging from tiny songbirds perched on gnarled branches to a flight of wild geese complete with outspread wings. He paints them so that they look almost alive and displays many of them in natural-

appearing habitats. His chief materials are white pine and bass-wood.

"People are always asking me if I can whittle a ball in a cage, or a chain," Mr. Lawson states. "Why, those are the easiest things to carve."

He has carved such things as totem poles, Christmas angels, saints, bas relief pictures, lamp bases, abstract statuettes and even fishing rods!

Bas relief pictures are an obvious mark of his proficiency. One particularly striking scene -- to be displayed at the Edmonton show has several white cranes standing out from a black background.

"Whittling is a great way to relax," he declares.

Fuel Rebates "Hypocrisy at its worst" - Horner

BY DR. HUGH HORNER, MLA LAC STE. ANNE

Back in 1968 the Social Government of Premier Manning decided they needed to get some more revenue and decided that the farmers should pay an additional amount. In spite of heated objections by the Conservative opposition and, indeed, the entire opposition at that time, the Social Creditors voted for this three cents a gallon to be applied on farm fuel. This, in spite of the fact that they stood before farm groups and said they were against it - they still went into legislature and on a recorded vote voted for the implementation of this tax.

Subsequently, when they went back to their ridings the heat was on and they had to come up with something

in regard to the three cents a gallon on farm fuel. So at the 1969 legislature the provincial secretary who is in charge of this particular act, brought in some amending legislation in which he said they would be rebating the three cents a gallon to the farmers for the farm fuels that they bought after the first of June, 1969.

Of course, this was after the major spring work was done so that they wouldn't have to rebate the tax to the farmers for the majority of their inputs on the 1969 crop. However, the following is the evidence of the sincerity of the Social Government when, up until February of 1970, they had only rebated \$99,000 out of a total collected of \$4,000,000. In fact, they had only rebated 2.5 per cent of the amount of money that they have collected. Surely this is hypocrisy at its worst? The regulations they formulated for the rebate of the tax are complicated. Most farmers have simply thrown up their hands and let it go.

But a more interesting

problem than that is that I have some knowledge that it has cost the provincial government in administration costs \$27,000 to handle this rebate.

If you consider that a total of 5,000 applications or more were made by farmers for a rebate, you can at least assess a five dollar cost to the farmer in administration, and this is another \$25,000. So well over half of the amount that they rebated was taken up in administration costs. A perfect example of bureaucracy gone wild - we have to spend a dollar to rebate two dollars back to the farmers. Why couldn't a simple bill be introduced abolishing the tax on the farm fuels? Save all this bureaucracy, save the farmers some money, and really do them a service at this time when agriculture is in a serious situation.

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Students aid Greek brother

Students at Sir George Simpson Elementary School raised \$45 last week to be used toward the cost of educating their adopted Greek brother -- and they had a good time doing it.

A film entitled "Davy Crockett and the River Pirates" was presented in the school gym on Friday afternoon -- with a voluntary admission fee of 15 cents per child.

The money will form part of the yearly contribution of \$120 made by the school to

help pay education costs for Pavlos Menas, a Greek schoolboy adopted by the school four years ago. He is one of 75,000 children throughout the world whose "adoption" has been arranged by the Christian Children's Fund of Canada.

"This will be the last year we will be sponsoring Pavlos," said Principal Frank Carnahan. "He is 15 now. We'll be continuing the program, however, and next year we'll sponsor another, younger child."

Competitive swimming

An introduction to competitive swimming is the title of a course planned for the Jasper Place pool over the next two months.

Ted Thomas, coach of the Canadian women's team in the 1968 Olympics, will be head coach for the course which is being jointly sponsored by the Jasper Place Swim Club and City of Edmonton.

Swimmers must have at least junior red cross or equal to be eligible for the course, which will be run in two groups of 50.

Applications and trials for Group 9 will be held at 5 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 28, at the Jasper Place Pool. Instruction for successful applicants will be given from 5 to 6 p.m. every Saturday through to May 2.

Applications and trials for Group 9 will be held at 5 p.m. on Sunday, March 1, with instruction from 5 to 6 every Sunday through to May 3.

Fee for the course is \$5. For further information phone Mr. Flaig at 489-6527.

RECREATION Hi-Lites

GOLF SCHOOL

Enough people have pre-registered for the golf school due to start on March 18 to indicate that two classes will be held and there is a possibility of a third class being held if there is sufficient interest. Anyone who has pre-registered is asked to pay the required fee (\$5 for adults and \$1 for students) as soon as possible to ensure a place in a class.

The course of six weekly lessons will be instructed by Mike Tomash, the pro-manager of Sturgeon Golf and Country Club, and will be held in St. Albert High School.

For further information and to pre-register, please phone the department of recreation at 599-6601.

BOYS' SOCCER

Registration for the boys' soccer program sponsored by the Hercules Sports Association will take place in the clubhouse (beside the swimming pool) on Saturday, March 7 from 10 a.m. - 12 noon and on Wednesday, March 11 from 7 - 9 p.m.

In the meantime, Lloyd Hopkins will be pleased to hear from anyone interested in managing or coaching a boys' team. Phone him at

599-7887.

BASEBALL

In spite of the snow and the hockey season not yet completed, the Lions Club and the Knights of Columbus are already meeting and planning for the coming baseball season. When planning the summer, parents are asked to consider volunteering their services in some capacity. An even larger registration than last year is expected and there never seem to be enough coaches and assistant coaches.

ARTS AND CRAFTS GUILD

The guild is planning classes for children in puppetry and woodwork and there is a possibility of courses also being offered in gourmet cooking, photography, cake decorating and automotives. (This last class would be open to all ages but is geared primarily at ladies who don't know what goes on underneath the hood or how to change a wheel.

Further announcements will be made later. Information about these classes can be obtained by phoning Mrs. Karen Grant at 599-8524 or the department of recreation at 599-6601.

Coffee house report

Creativity sessions will be conducted by Frank Turner at the teen coffee house on Saturday afternoons. Frank, who is attending the University of Alberta this year, has been associated with drama groups for the past several years. Anyone interested can contact Frank at 599-7114. If he doesn't happen to be there, he would appreciate it if you would leave your name and number.

A roller skating party is planned for Saturday night, Feb. 28. A bus will transport teens to the Roller-drome on the South Side. Those wishing to go along should be at the teen centre before 7 p.m. Total cost for skating and bus will be \$1.50 or \$1.25 if more than 40 go.

A guest singer will be on hand at the centre Friday night.

A tea-cup reading session is being planned for Sunday afternoon, March 8. Everyone welcome.

Teens have been paying 10 cents to enter the coffee house but the executive has now decided to offer memberships at \$2.50 each. They figure this will save youngsters who use the centre extensively quite a bit of money over the year. The option of paying a dime instead will remain.

The teens are still looking for chairs for the coffee house. They didn't get any in their last plea. Anyone with a chair they would like to see the last of can drop it off at the teen centre on the weekend or call Richard LeBlanc at 599-6315 and he will arrange to have it picked up.

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St. Albert High School's girls basketball team won the right to represent the Western Conference in the North Central Zone finals on Saturday. Back row from left Kathy Byrne, Judy Bischler, Michele Raboud, Rhoda Lamoureux, Barb Faryna, Madeline Raboud and Dan Chugg, coach. Front row from left Roberta Parsons, Vivianne Ethier, Pat Lyndon, Elaine Gravelle and Sandra Soucie.

Local teams reach north central finals

Brian O'Toole's field goal from the corner with only five seconds of play remaining gave Paul Kane High School boys' basketball team a 43-42 victory over Drayton Valley on Saturday.

And the victory gave Paul Kane the right to represent the Western Conference in the North Central Zone finals in the new Salisbury Composite High School on Saturday.

St. Albert High School girls team won the right to represent the Western Conference in their division, knocking out Paul Kane 36-20 in the final.

The Paul Kane boys' team had never beaten Drayton Valley in league play this season and for most of the afternoon it appeared as if nothing had changed.

Paul Kane trailed 21-18 at half-time and continued to trail right up until the final minute mark. The team couldn't have picked a better time to go ahead. Drayton just couldn't beat the clock.

O'Toole scored 16 points to lead Paul Kane's attack. Jim Rutherford was next in line with eight.

Paul Kane defeated Stony Plain 47-39 to reach the final, O'Toole and Les Mar-

tin the top pointgetters, each with 10. Drayton Valley had bombed St. Albert High 69-22 Anders Udsen, with seven points, and Todd Cassidy and Allan Bokenfohr, each with five, led St. Albert High's scorers.

Roberta Parsons, Judy Bischler, Rhoda Lamoureux, Vivianne Ethier and Elaine Gravelle all scored six points for St. Albert High girls in their win over Paul Kane. Karen Durling was the

only threat for Paul Kane, scoring 13 points.

St. Albert High led 17-2 at half-time.

St. Albert High had defeated Stony Plain 32-22 in the semi-final. Judy Bischler, eight points, and Elaine Gravelle, with six were the top scorers.

Paul Kane had eliminated Drayton Valley 33-23 with Karen Durling, Mary Jamison and Margo Lisk leading the way.

Comets open provincials

St. Albert Comets will open their provincial playoffs against Barrhead Chiefs in Morinville Arena at 8:30 tonight.

Second game in the two-game total-goal series will be played in Barrhead on Saturday night at 8:30.

Both teams are in the

Sturgeon River Senior Hockey League. Chiefs didn't make the league playoffs while Comets are entering the finals against Westlock Eagles.

First game in that series will go at 8:30 in Westlock Friday night with the second there Sunday night.

Gary Larsen wins Silver Gloves title

Fifteen-year-old Gary Larsen of St. Albert won himself a Silver Gloves championship at Hinton Saturday night.

Larsen defeated Stanley Belcourt of Hinton in the final of the 95-pound division, gaining a unanimous decision.

Keith Wilson of St. Albert who refereed the bout, said Larsen didn't appear to be the slightest bit tired at the end.

"Belcourt kept coming just the way Hamilton did in Vancouver," Wilson said, "but Gary looked really good. He's got a 99 per cent chance

of beating Hamilton when they meet again."

Wilson was manager of the Alberta team that went to Vancouver two weeks ago. On that trip Larsen was beaten by Les Hamilton of the Coast city.

Wilson suggested that an attempt would be made to lure Larsen into the Golden Gloves tournament in March. It could give him two tournament championships in one year, something Wilson's son, Don, successfully pulled off last year.

"I don't think there's anything around in his weight division that is going to beat him," Wilson said.



GARY LARSEN

Peewee Reps eliminated

St. Albert's Peewee Representative Team bowed out in the first round of the provincial playoffs last week, but not without a fight.

The Representatives lost their first game on home ice 3-0 to Barrhead, but it was only spectacular goaltending that kept them off the score-sheet.

Going into the other team's rink Friday night down 3-0 in the two-game total-goal series, St. Albert got one goal in the first period and two more early in the third to take a 3-0 lead in the game and tie the series at three goals apiece.

But at the 10-minute mark Barrhead batted the puck into the St. Albert zone and into the net to go ahead 4-3 to stay.

Greg Pudlowski, David Kieser and Gary Ferguson scored for the Reps in their comeback attempt.

Five young St. Albert bowlers and one of their parents will be competing in the Folks and Kids Tournament at Calgary on March 14.

And on April 19, a group of 11 youngsters will compete in the singles championships sponsored by the Western Canada Youth Bowling Association at Bonnie Doon Lanes in Edmonton.

Winning the right to represent Grandin Bowl in the Folks and Kids roll-off were Blaine and Bill Jones in the junior male division; Kim and Kay Popoff, junior female; Jordan and Amy Johnson, bantam male; Michael and Tom White, peewee male; and Lorna and Judith Purdon.

Competing in the singles championship will be Ashley Grey in the senior male division; Garth Roberts and Neil Edwards, junior male; Kim Popoff and Lois Knut-

son, junior female; Stephen Lesset and Jordan Johnson, bantam male; Pauline Spitzer and Maureen Watkins, bantam female; and Shari Stinson and Lori Pratt peewee female.

The bowlers qualified for the events by keeping busy over the last month.

As a starter, 72 young bowlers from the Simpsonite Saturday morning leagues bowled six games over three weeks to attempt to qualify for the singles championship.

Then a good many of them bowled for two weeks to attempt to qualify for the folks and kids tournament at Todd Lanes which decided who would be eligible to make the trip to Calgary.

Children could bowl with any adult as far as the Todd tournament, but to go further they had to be bowling with a parent.

Wildcats lose two exhibitions

The action wasn't coming fast enough for St. Albert Wildcats last week so they took to the road in search of more.

They travelled to Westlock Wednesday, coming out on the short end of a 4-2 count, and Barrhead Thursday, where they went down 7-2.

Wildcats, entered in the

Highway 16 West Midget Hockey League, were in the fight all the way against Westlock.

It was 0-0 at the end of the first period and 2-2 at the end of the second. Westlock scored twice in the last five minutes of the game to win.

Mark Thompson and Ray

Gauthier scored for Wildcats, who also lost 4-2 to Westlock earlier in the season.

Wildcats never led in the game at Barrhead, being down 2-0 after the first period and 4-2 after the second. Gauthier and Raymond Gamache handled the Wildcat scoring.

Wildcats' wins, losses balance out

St. Albert Wildcats wound up regular play in the Highway 16 West Midget Hockey League on the weekend with a record of six wins, six losses and two ties for 14 points, an even split on the season.

Wildcats travelled to Wabamun Sunday and found themselves involved in their highest scoring game of the season, won 10-8 by Wabamun.

Wabamun took a 4-0 lead in the first period but Wildcats were far from out of it. They scored five straight goals in the second to take the lead momentarily, but when the period ended they were on the short end of an 8-6 count.

The clubs split four goals in the third.

Doug Belcourt had three goals and an assist and Ray Gauthier two goals and two assists to lead Wildcats' attack.

Mark Thompson, with two goals, and Raymond Gamache provided the rest of the scoring punch.

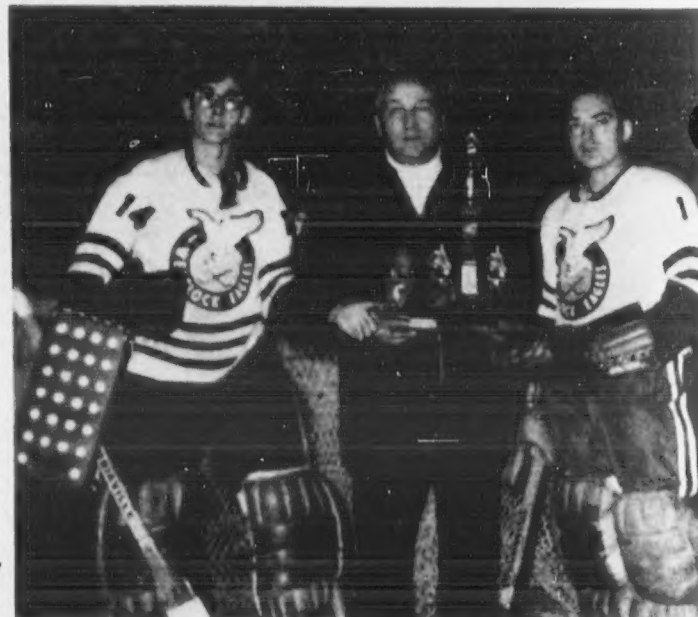
Wildcats defeated Devon 4-3 in a game here Friday. Belcourt got two goals in that one and Gauthier and Jan Jensen got the others. Wildcats will not know until later in the week whether they made the playoffs.

St. Albert Bruins, this town's other entry in the

league, gave league-leading Stony Plain a good run before bowing out 4-2 Sunday afternoon.

Bruins took a 1-0 lead in the first period but Stony tied it before the period ended. Bruins took the lead again in the second but again Stony tied it. Bruins didn't have the momentum to score again.

Rene Vallee and Buck Fraser scored for Bruins.



Paul Provencal (left) and Wayne Stolen of Westlock Eagles formed the top goaltending duo in the Sturgeon River Senior Hockey League this season, giving up only 55 goals. They were presented with the Vimy Hotel Trophy by league President Reno Balon during a semi-final game between Westlock and Vimy Rockets.

Reed rink scores 8-ender

Tom Reed realized a curler's dream last Wednesday night, collecting an eight-ender in the Wednesday mixed league at the St. Albert Curling Club.

"We never even thought about it until after we had thrown six rocks," said his sister, Marilyn, who curls third. "Then we noticed that all were counting."

Tom exchanged shots with the rival skip and made both his count to complete the eight.

"He really made a nice shot to count the eight," Marilyn said. "He had to come partly around a rock, chip and stay."

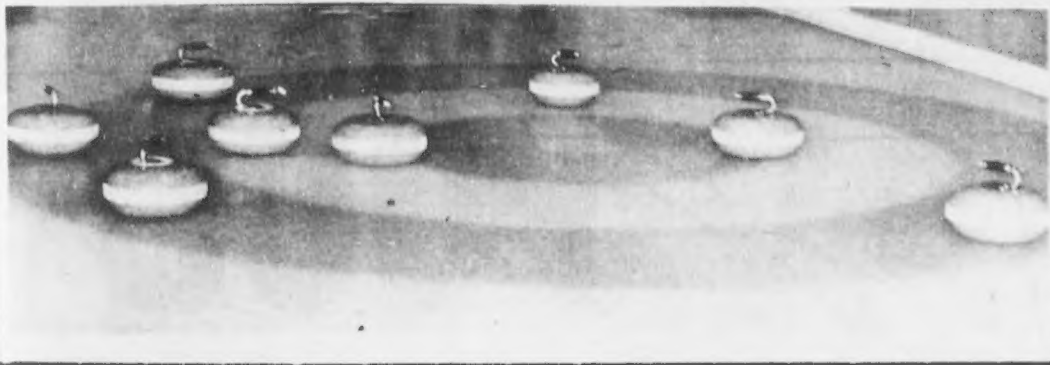
Paul Gauthier curls second on the Reed rink and Marie Schultheiss is lead.

The big count came on the opening end and apparently shell-shocked the opposition. The score when it ended after eight ends was 17-2.

Tom, 20, who has been curling for four years but who is in his first as a skip, had been close to the dream end before, being on a rink that counted seven.



SKIP TOM REED (LEFT) AND SECOND PAUL GAUTHIER Marilyn Reed and Marie Schultheiss complete happy rink



Comets' casualty list

St. Albert Comets are known as one of the roughest teams in the Sturgeon River Senior Hockey League.

But when the knocks have been handed out this season, the Comets have been on the receiving end just as often as not, something that's verified by their casualty list.

It reads:

Steve Lynes, defencemen, 17 stitches to the head, out for the season;

Gerry Magnan, defencemen, out half of the season with a groin injury, returned for the second game of the semi-finals against Spruce Grove Mercuries, knocked out for the season in the third game when he suffered a shoulder separation;

Ron Yanosik, defenceman, out last four games of the semi-finals with a shoulder injury, may return for the finals;

Art Scott, forward, one of the best in the league, out for the season after suffering a hernia and undergoing surgery;



RENE BRODEUR
...playoff standout

Dave Joyal, veteran forward, out for the season with a bad knee;

Doug Knisley, forward, got hit beside the ear with a slap shot in Stony Plain on Friday night and the wound

took 10 stitches to close, possibly out for the season;

Comets also got hurt in other ways, so much so that the program team General Manager Jake Vaugeois had printed in January is almost out of date. Only nine of the 19 players pictured are still dressing with the team. Yanosik's return would make that 10.

Al Miller, one of the smoother defencemen in the league, was forced to quit halfway through the season because of illness;

Ray Bussche, goaltender, has spent most of the season in the north, throwing the load on Rene Brodeur. Fortunately Brodeur seems to thrive on work;

Jim Read, a fine stick-handler and playmaker, was suspended for the season for striking a referee in the last game of the semi-finals;

Lou's Martineau, a forward who was a standout last season, is attending university and has had to pretty well give up hockey to devote himself to his studies.

Terry Dube inspires crippled Comets to semi-finals triumph

If Terry Dube of the St. Albert Comets had been participating in the Skate-a-thon Sunday afternoon, St. Albert would have been assured of an artificial ice plant in the arena which will be in operation here next winter.

But the young Mr. Dube was participating in a skate-a-thon of his own in Morinville Arena and the end result of that was a spot for Comets in the Sturgeon River Senior Hockey League final.

Dube, skating a thousand miles, scored two goals and two assists and checked tenaciously to lead Comets to a 6-4 victory over Spruce Grove Mercuries in the deciding game of the best-of-five semi-final series.

Actually, Dube's performance was just another of the type the team has been getting since it decided to play hockey instead of head-hunting after being bombed 10-3 in the opening game.

Getting superb goaltending from Rene Brodeur, Comets squared the series with a 4-3 win then dropped the third 7-4. They squared it again Friday night in Stony Plain Arena, but they paid in blood to get the 8-2 victory, Dube being cut down by a stick and Doug Knisley by a flying puck.

Jim Read was the big gun in this one, scoring two goals and adding four assists.

It's hard to pick stars, though, on a team that, crippled by injuries, comes back to win three out of four games. Brodeur was at his best in the series, especially in the second game when Mercuries threatened to run Comets out of the rink in the early going but couldn't get a goal.

Joe Cassidy moved back from the front line to turn in a solid performance on defence and Bill Good was lured out of semi-retirement to shore up a defence that saw only Richie Perrault and Dennis L'Hirondelle in uniform from the six who started the season.

Coach Ken Schwartz was forced to go with two lines throughout the playoffs because that's all the bodies he had. But this seemed to bring out the best in the players, with the fine performances too many to mention.

Comets will travel to Westlock for the opening game of the final at 8:30 Friday night and the second game will go there Sunday night.

Team General Manager Jake Vaugeois is considering playing all games there as the gate will produce much more lucrative results than would Morinville Arena.

More than 1,000 fans were on hand for the final game



JOE CASSIDY
...two-way threat



TERRY DUBE
...Mr. Everywhere

of the semi-final between Westlock and Vimy Rockets, which the Eagles won 6-2.

Comets took a 2-1 lead in the opening period in the final against Spruce Grove, but the Mercuries tied it on a power play when Good took a needless boarding penalty.

It looked for a moment in the second as if Comets were going to forget again that the name of the game is hockey, not mayhem, when Hess picked up an elbowing penalty and misconduct at the 3:45 mark and Read followed him with a charging penalty at 4:27.

Read's charge, however, cut down Spruce Grove Captain and leader Roger McKernan, injuring his shoulder and putting him out for the game.

Comets survived the two-man-shortage as the leaderless Spruce Grove assault faltered. The tide of battle turned after that and even though centre Jim Read was ejected from the game for striking referee Ron Panchyshyn, Comets began to take command.

Good cut down high-scoring Bob Goth and was penalized for roughing late in the period but the loss was far greater for Mercuries than for Comets.

Comets finished the period in front 4-3 and with both McKernan and Goth on the sidelines, Spruce Grove matched Comets in bodies but not in spirit.

Perrault, Hesse, Dan Vars and Dan Roberge scored the other Comet goals. Alvin Wirch, Ron Tillapaugh, Goth and Bill Wishloff scored for Spruce Grove.

Hesse, with two goals, Dave Roberge, Dan Roberge, Vars and Knisley backed up Read's sparkling performance Friday.

The score was 2-2 late in the second when the lights went out for Dube in a collision behind the Spruce Grove goal.

The loss of the speedy forward seemed to light a fire under Comets, however, and they rammed in two fast goals to end the period in front 4-2. They ran away with it in the third.

Comets' Jim Read suspended for season

Centre Jim Read of St. Albert Comets has been suspended for the balance of the Sturgeon River Senior Hockey League season.

League President Reno Balon of Westlock announced the suspension Tuesday, following a review of the circumstances of the game Sunday in which Read struck referee Ron Panchyshyn of Edmonton.

Panchyshyn had handed Read a misconduct penalty and had just skated away when the Comets' centre followed him and threw a punch.

Fellow players pulled Read away but the damage had been done. Comets went on to defeat Spruce Grove Mercuries 6-4 and advance to the final against Westlock Eagles.

Legal Locals

By Lucienne Montpetit

Herve St. Onge is mourning the loss of his mother from Regina, Sask., also Mr. Cornells upon the recent death of his brother from Mayerthorpe. The community extend their sincere sympathies to the bereaved families.

Mrs. Marguerite Magnan, Mr. Bourgeois, Mrs. Stella Champagne and Mrs. August Courseaux are patients in hospital. Back home recovering after spending some time in the hospital are Mrs.

Marguerite Caouette and Mrs. Maurice Montpetit. Speedy recovery to you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Cloutier are the proud parents of a charming baby girl born on Feb. 12. Cheryl Irene was christened last Sunday. The happy god-parents were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brennels. A baby sister for Rene.

Mrs. Beatrice Carriere accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Albreda Fortier on a trip to Vancouver, where Mrs. Carriere visited her son and daughter.

The Legal Old Timers are really getting in shape, they defeated Morinville and Barrhead last week. Keep it up felias.

Laurent Champagne returned recently from a holiday in Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rivard travelled to Regina last week to visit Mrs. Rivard's sister.

Mr and Mrs Albert Pelletier, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Pelletier and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meyers attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pelletier's daughter, Yvonne, who exchanged marriage vows with Gerry Langenburger last Saturday in Regina, Sask. Congratulations to the newlyweds.

If you are need of an ambulance don't hesitate to call the Legal Ambulance operated by the fire department. Call 598-3663 or 593-3350. In case of fire remember Legal has a well trained fire department that will be pleased to answer your call. Phone 598-3811.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Georget, the Legal Hotel manager held their staff party last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cyre are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of their baby daughter, Pauline Juliette, born on Feb. 17. The proud godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cyre. A sister for Lorraine, Roger and Daniel.

The Senior B teams played two semi-final games last weekend in the Legal Arena. Villeneuve defeated Legal by a score of 3-2 in overtime play. Bon Accord defeated Gibbons by a score of 3-2. Other semi final games were played Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Germain Auger are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Dolores to Raymond Brisson son of Mr. and Mrs. Henri Brisson all of Legal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Regimbald are also pleased to announce the engagement of their son Robert to Louise Champagne from Edmonton. Louise is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henri Champagne. Wedding plans are being made for August.

Legal CWL

The bingo held at the Senior Citizens home was highly successful. Thanks to the splendid co-operation of Mrs. Leguerrier, the residents of the home, and people of Legal community for their wonderful attendance.

The lucky winners were: \$10 cash prize, Mrs. Leduc; \$5 cash prize, Mrs. Noel Pelletier. The other \$2 cash prizes were, Mrs. Maurice, Father Garnier, Mrs. L. Parrent, Mrs. F. Rivard, Mr. Eddy Rivard, Mr. G. Quaghebeur, Mr. Bernard and Mrs. D. Boisvert.

A short monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held Feb. 15 at the Senior Citizens Home immediately following the bingo.

Mrs. J. Cornells gave an

Legal winter carnival

The Legal Winter Carnival date has been advanced to Feb. 28 and March 1. Two full days of fun and entertainment for the whole family.

At 1 p.m. Saturday races for the children in the arena. The official opening of the Carnival by Mlle Fete au Village followed by figure skaters of the Edmonton Glenora Figure Skating Club and the local performers.

At 3:30 p.m. Minor Hockey. At 7 p.m. a broomball game, so you broomball enthusiasts make a point to be there to cheer for your team and give them support. Sunday promises to be an exciting thrilling day with the snowmobile races scheduled to start at 1:30 p.m. and in the evening will be hockey.

The community would like to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kachurowski from Mundare. Mr. Kachurowski is the new manager of the Co-op store.

outline of the convention held at Smoky Lake which she had attended with Mrs. W. Barry. "Through Help Hope" is the theme of the convention to be held at Thorhild April 4.

A St. Patrick's tea and bake sale is to be held at the Co-op, March 14.

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PAUL A. CHALIFOUX

Paul A. Chalifoux, vice-principal of Vanier School in Morinville, has been appointed by the Alberta Teachers' Association, to represent Alberta at Canadian Teachers Federation conference in Ottawa, on Feb. 27 and 28. The theme of the conference is, "French-language Textbooks in Canada."

The conference, which follows the recent B and B Commission Report on the subject, will assess French language texts available for use in Canada, and suggest what needs are not being met so necessary texts can be produced.

Paul, who resides at 81 Broadway Crescent, in St. Albert, presently serves on the Ad Hoc Curriculum Committee revising the Social Studies 30 program for the province of Alberta.

The little boy ran to his mother and exclaimed: "Wow! You ought to see the new lawn mower, our new neighbors have. It doesn't need gas or anything. All you have to do is push it!"

Sr. citizens visit recreation centre

A group of 38 Senior Citizens from St. Albert journeyed into Edmonton to attend the weekly dance held at the Senior Citizens Recreation Centre on 11th Avenue on Friday, Feb. 20.

The St. Albert Breakfast Lions Club, under the direction of Lions Elmer Harrison, Charles Meuring, and his wife Joyce, Adam Hampton, who arranged transportation with the assistance of Dr. William Cuts and John Huberdeau, enabled the group to spend a very enjoyable evening taking advantage of the marvelous facilities available in the Recreation Centre.

The centre was built by the Edmonton Lions Club

and is operated by the city's recreation department. It is under the direction of Mrs. Gladys Gibb.

With a staff of five and with 15 paid, plus additional volunteer, instructors, some of them senior citizens, Mrs. Gibb offers a comprehensive program for the senior citizens of the Edmonton District.

The facilities themselves include an auditorium, in which a dance, put on by the senior citizens themselves, with both volunteer and paid orchestras, is held weekly. There are card rooms, games rooms, music rooms, lecture rooms, a woodworking shop, and a "tea room" among other things.

All activities are arranged by the senior citizens under the guidance of the staff on a "project" approach, with the staff taking a very passive role. The paid and volunteer instructors put on courses and lectures on diverse subjects ranging from basic Japanese (in anticipation of The International Convention of Lions Clubs held in Tokyo last year) to basket weaving and millinery.

Such projects as rehabilitating a pool table to arranging transportation from senior citizens homes to the centre, are looked after by the senior citizens themselves, who come and go between the hours of 10 a.m. and 10 p.m. every day.

This is only a brief resume of the activities of the centre made possible by the Lions of Edmonton, who four years ago convinced city council of the necessity of such a centre and went ahead to arrange the raising of the

necessary funds.

A great deal of credit is due to Mrs. Gibb who three years ago took over the directorship of the centre and, based on a theme of

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Nickerson PTA

Mrs. Joan Jakes, executive director of the family life education council, outlined the goals of family life education to the Leo Nickerson Parent Teacher Association last week.

Mrs. Jakes said that from the course students should gain:

- * Understanding of themselves as individuals and as members of a family;

- * Increased confidence in themselves as people and where applicable, as parents;

- * The development of satisfying family and community relationships.

A member of the PTA said parents would do well to indulge themselves in the family life program in order that the type of program they

deem suitable for their children be established and above all, the kind of people gained who are capable of teaching the subject.

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B.C. lefty outpoints Wilson

Seventeen-year-old Donnie Wilson of St. Albert was outpointed by Frankie Scott of Vancouver in the Coast city Saturday night.

It was Wilson's first fight against a lefthander and despite the loss, has to add to his ring experience.

Wilson also gave away 10 pounds, weighing in at 116 compared to the 20-year-old Scott's 128.

Scott is probably one of the most experienced boys Wilson has met. He was a bronze medalist in the last

British Empire Games and had just returned from the silver gloves tournament in the United States.

The match was rated best of the evening and Scott was rated top boxer on the card, with Wilson as runner-up.

The fight was of four two-minute rounds, a switch from the three three-minute sessions Wilson is used to.

Wilson's next fight will be on Feb. 28 when he will compete in the Golden Gloves in Seattle.



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Mrs. A. Provencal was feted at a party at Youville Home on the occasion of her 80th birthday with some 50 guests present. Her large family boasts eight children, 43 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren. Back row, left to right are Mrs. Roger (Therese) Prefontaine of Regina; Mrs. Albert (Rhea) Pelletier; Mrs. Philip (Della) Pelletier; Mrs. Donat Labbe. Front row: Clement, Etienne, Mrs. Provencal and Wilfrid. Absent from the picture was Armand from Nampa.

CWL to hold meeting here

The St. Albert Catholic Women's League will play host to the 48th annual convention of the Archdiocese of Edmonton CWL on April 10, 11 and 12.

The star of the North Retreat House will be convention headquarters. Business sessions will be held in the St. Albert Catholic Church basement and masses upstairs in the church.

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Council briefs

Council will ask for a meeting with the Municipal District of Sturgeon to discuss a report that Allarco Holdings are asking that their holdings be annexed to St. Albert.

Town Planner J. X. Woodroffe said indications were that the Municipal District also wanted such a meeting.

Council voted 6-0 Monday night to sell the property at 44 Balmoral Drive, the paved area that once used to be part of the south end of Bishop Street until it was turned into the present jig saw puzzle.

"At least it will have a ready-made driveway," one councillor said. No one, however, thought this would help it sell.

Money received from the sale will be used to purchase parkland.

A letter submitted by Armin Zimmer of 8 Seymore Cres. was discussed by council. It asked what council's plans were in the event St. Albert got the university.

Council voted 6-0 to receive the letter as information, indicating that nothing could really be done at this time as it was not known where the university was to be situated.

All sites mentioned to date have been outside the town. Councillor Lukay took exception to Mr. Zimmer's remarks concerning youth. "You may find some characters but his description is fantastic," Councillor Lukay said, referring to Mr. Zimmer's concern about drugs, alcohol and sex.

"I deal with youngsters every day, and his idea is all wrong," said Councillor Lukay, who is an instructor at the Northern Alberta Institute of Technology.

Council voted 4-2 Monday to retain the firm of Liden, Ackroyd, Bradley, Phillion and Plasta to handle its negotiations with Calgary Power regarding its franchise in St. Albert.

A motion by Mayor Ray Gibbon that council hear representation from its present solicitors, Brownlee, Fryett and Walter was defeated 3-3, Councillors

Wheatley, Rene Kambouroff and Bob Russell voting against.

Mayor Gibbon said he felt the town would run into tremendous additional costs and also slowdowns by obtaining

retaining another solicitor to handle the power franchise negotiations.

"And I don't approve of the choice when council doesn't allow the democratic process to take place," he said.

F. M. Saville of the Brownlee firm was present at the meeting.

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Nurses sponsor education series

The Edmonton Chapter of the Alberta Association of Registered Nurses will sponsor its annual continuing education series at the University of Alberta commencing Thursday, March 5.

On March 5, Richard Weaver, co-founder and president of the Cold Mountain Institute will speak on "Sensitivity in Nursing."

On March 12, Dr. J. A. L. Gilbert, director of the medical clinical teaching unit at the Royal Alexandra Hospital will chair a panel on the New Concept in Medical Education.

Dr. Shirley Stinson, associate professor of nursing at the University of Alberta,

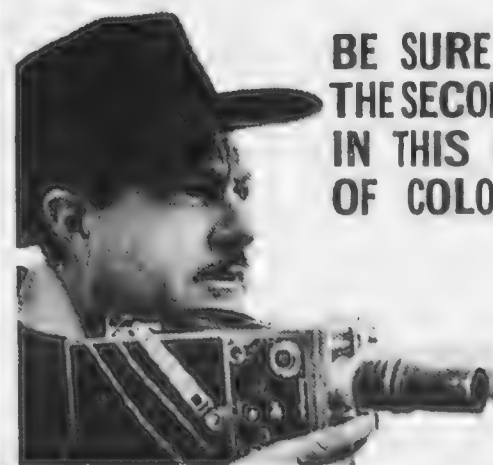
will be featured speaker on March 19. Her topic will be her doctoral thesis on "De-professionalization in Nursing."

On March 26, the series comes to a close with Alberta Progressive Conservative Leader Peter Lougheed speaking on how the findings of the Royal Commission on the Status of Women will affect nurses.

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THURS. FEB. 26 - Organizational meeting Toastmistress Club, 8 p.m. St. Albert Library.

FRI. FEB. 27 - London Society Dance, Club Mocombo.

FRI.-SAT. FEB. 27-28 - Bon Accord Ice Carnival.

SAT.-SUN. FEB. 28-MAR. 1 - Legal Winter Carnival.

SAT. FEB. 28 - Roller Skating party by St. Albert Teen Centre - 7 p.m. Sharp for bus.

SAT. FEB. 28 - St. Albert Credit Union annual meeting and dinner dance - Community Hall - 7:30 p.m.

SAT. FEB. 28 - Cubs and Scouts Paper Drive, St. Albert

SAT. FEB. 28 - Social evening, Legion Hall, 8 p.m. to midnight.

SAT. FEB. 28 - Kin'Cinema, Father Jan School, 2-4 p.m.

SUN. MARCH 1 - Power toboggan rally 10 a.m. 5 miles east of Calahoo. St. Albert residents - 4 miles north on Highway 2 and 8 miles west.

MON. MARCH 2 - General meeting United Church Women - 9:15 a.m. Mrs. Wilson, 35 Gilmore Cres. Interested women welcome.

TUES. MARCH 3 - Morinville Board of Trade supper meeting - 7 p.m.

TUES. MARCH 3 - Regular AA meeting, New Braeside Presbyterian Church, 8:30 p.m.

TUES. MARCH 3 - Regular AI Anon family group meeting, Braeside Presbyterian Church - 8:30 p.m.

TUES. MARCH 3 - 4th St. Albert Sea Scouts 6:30 p.m. Sir George Simpson Junior High Gym.

TUES. MARCH 3 - The Coronado UCW has changed its regular monthly meeting date to the first Tuesday of each month. The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 3, at the home of Cathie Shaw.

WED. MARCH 4 - Wine and Cheese party, Purple Dude. Proceeds to hospital. Open to all women of the area. 7:30 p.m.

FRI.-SAT. MARCH 6-7 - Open House Vermillion Agricultural College.

SAT.-SUN. MARCH 7-8 - Native Hockey Tournament, Morinville.

MON. MARCH 9 - Sturgeon General Hospital Auxillary, meets 8 p.m. Youville Home.

WED. MARCH 11 - St. Albert Protestant School District annual meeting - 8 p.m. Sir George Simpson Junior High.

SUN. MARCH 15 - Ice Revue, Morinville Arena 2 p.m.

TUES. MARCH 17 - Dutch Auction, Kindergarten Room, United Church. Sponsored by the UCW.

WED. MARCH 18 - Chamber of Commerce annual banquet and dance, Club Mocombo 6:30 p.m. Tickets from Grandin Bakery, Hutchings Shoes, Jim Byrne's Men's Wear, Pacific '66.

SAT. MARCH 21 - Anglican Church Women Bake sale 10 a.m. Safeway.

Toastmistress meeting set

The organizational meeting of a proposed Toastmistress Club will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 26, in the St. Albert Library.

Mrs. Myrtle Costuros of Edmonton Toastmistress Club will be the speaker and will explain to local residents what is required for the formation of a club here.

Women in St. Albert interested in joining a Toastmistress Club may contact Mrs. Florence Jordan at 599-6407 for information.

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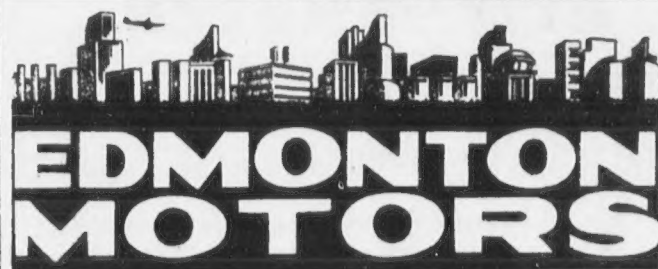
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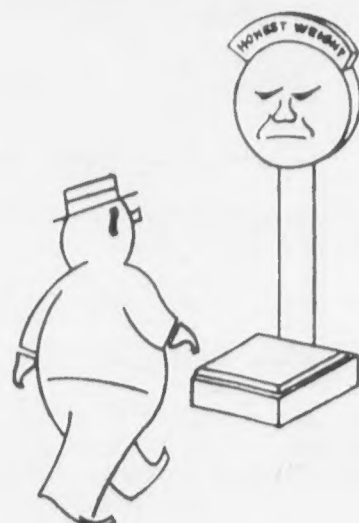
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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bachand of Morinville celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Jan. 24. A large number of friends and relatives participated in the evening mass at which the Jubilarians renewed their wedding vows.

Rev. Father Simard presented the happy couple with a copy of the Papal Blessing and their seven children: Alma (Mrs. Raoul Casavant) Morinville; Louise (Mrs. Roger Beaupre) Edmonton; Irene (Mrs. Rosaire Vallee) Edmonton; Eddie of Morinville; Marie (Mrs. Maurice

Dupuis) Kinuso; Rita (Mrs. Marcel Ricard) Morinville; and Paul of Edmonton, gave them matching diamond and gold rings.

During the mass their daughter, Rita, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Therese Bachand, sang a solo.

Approximately 225 guests attended the reception which followed in the Morinville Centre where Rosaire Vallee their son-in-law, acted as master of ceremonies. Special guests included the bridesmaid and bestman Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Garneau of

Edmonton.

Daughter Alma made the beautiful three-tier wedding cake that high-lighted the table of honor. Attractive decorations throughout the hall were prepared by daughter Rita.

The addresses were read by their daughter Louise; daughter-in-law, Therese; grand-daughter, Miss Joanne Bachand; great-grandson, Georges Turgeon, and each presented in book form an address designed and oil painted by Mrs. Anton Rustemeier of Morinville. The couple was also presented an album containing pictures of all 24 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The evening was followed

by a midnight buffet where everyone enjoyed and wished this pioneer couple congratulations and best wishes on this happy occasion.

Mr. Bachand was born in 1897 at Ironwood, Mich. and came to Legal in 1899. He was married in 1920 at Legal by Rev. Father Gartin to Miss Elizabeth Caza. Mrs. Bachand born in 1902, in Cloquet, Minn., came to Legal in 1911 and moved to a Thorhild homestead in 1912.

Mr. and Mrs. Bachand moved to Legal Corner in 1928 where they owned and operated a gas station and confectionery for 37 years.

They have now retired and been living in Morinville for the past five years.

Native puck tournament postponed

The Native Hockey Tournament, scheduled for Feb. 21 and 22 in Morinville, has been postponed until March 7 and 8.

Teams from Winterburn, Duffield, Genevis, Hobbe-

ma, Native Centre from Edmonton, Kinuso and two teams of Alexander Braves will compete.

The Alexander Braves tournament sponsors won the Native Centre Trophy in 1969

Morinville ice carnival March 15

The Morinville Lions will sponsor the 1970 Morinville Ice Carnival on Sunday, March 15, at 2 p.m. in the Morinville Arena, with about 75 children and some adults taking part in the Ice Revue.

There are seven carnival queen contestants - Rita Gibeault, Sharon Lalonde, Lori

Ann Staffin, Paulette Rousseau, Vivian Blackburn, Sherry Doucet and Lori Doucet.

Mrs. Borjd Carlson is in charge of the program, assisted by the mothers of the children participating and the Morinville Lions.

EAIDA to meet at Morinville

The Edmonton Area Industrial Development Association will meet on Friday, March 6, in the Morinville Recreation Centre beginning at 10 a.m.

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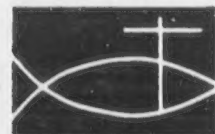
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The Editor:

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returns in the current campaign have reached nearly \$284,000. This is up slightly from the previous year and represents contributions from approximately 101,000 Albertans, not including employee groups.

We are proud of the confidence displayed in our Association by the public. To merit this support we must seek, by every effort in our power, to develop both talent and ability to meet the emerging problems that health measures demand in our society.

D. L. McKillop, President

The Editor:

I wish to reply to a comment attributed to Mrs. M. Johnston in the last issue of The Gazette in relation to the Leo Nickerson Elementary School library, in particular, and libraries in St. Albert District No. 6 schools in general.

There appears to be a strong implication in Mrs. Johnston's remarks that students attending schools in St. Albert must go outside the school setting to obtain material for all reports that they write. This obviously is not the case although students

are encouraged to obtain information for reports from as many sources as possible. It is certainly true that reference material is lacking in some areas because of curriculum changes by the department of education and a number of other reasons. This, however, is equally true in many Edmonton schools.

Furthermore, the implication that all schools in Edmonton have superior libraries to schools in St. Albert is really an opinion. A recent library survey conducted by Edmonton, which assesses school libraries within the Edmonton public system, would suggest that a number of Edmonton schools do not have libraries that are as well equipped as libraries in our district.

Any comparison of school libraries must take into consideration the number of titles per pupil, the length of time a school has been in operation, the nature of the school, as well as a number of other factors. It is a fact that many elementary schools in Edmonton do not have full-time teacher librarians. All the schools in St. Albert Protestant Separate School District do.

To judge and single out one school library on the

basis of a social visit that occurred a year and a half ago and classify the school library as "pitiful" is a misrepresentation of what exists at present.

It is still lacking in certain areas that will take time and money to correct. Since the time of Mrs. Johnston's visit, however, the school has had the services of a full-time librarian as well as additional money granted for library materials above the annual per pupil allotment.

There is every indication that extra money will be granted again this year as the improvement of libraries continues to be a priority item.

A great deal of time and effort is necessary in order to objectively evaluate any school library. The number of books on the library shelves at any given time during the year is a poor guide to assessment as library and reference books should be in use by students and not sit on the shelves.

Co-ordination between the services of the town library, and school libraries would, in my opinion, be excellent.

Lowell J. Thronson,
Principal
Leo Nickerson School

Newcomers Party to aid hospital

Proceeds from a wine and cheese party planned for March 4 at the Purple Dude will go toward equipping a children's ward at the Sturgeon General Hospital.

Sponsored by the Newcomers' Club, the party is open to all women of the area. Special features include a talk on wine and cheeses to be presented by

a representative of the company supplying the cheese, and a Chinese auction of items donated by members and their friends.

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Tuesday Wellington Park Ladies: single 257, Pat Walker; triple 636, Leda Campbell.

Tuesday Villeneuve: Ladies' single 240, Joan Dutton; triple 634, Joan Dutton. Men's single 228, A. Logzar; triple 590, R. Scatterty.

Tuesday 9 P.M.: Ladies' single 272, Louise Hanson; triple 706, Louise Hanson. Men's single 264, G. Hartman; triple 637, N. Aldi.

Wednesday Morning Ladies: single 303, Chris Chyzik; triple 692, Lorraine Nelson.

Wednesday P.M. Flowers Ladies: single 259, Marie Lamoureux; triple 653, Marie Lamoureux.

Wednesday Villeneuve: ladies single 221, Angeline Majeau; triple 505, Angeline Majeau. Men's single 248, Remi Soetaert; triple 628,

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Thursday Dover Hotel: ladies' single 319, Ruth Thordarson; triple 691, Ruth Thordarson. Men's single 287, Dick Cavanagh; triple 714, Dick Cavanagh.

Thursday Nite: Ladies' single 249, Dixie Benton; triple 601, Louise MacKay. Men's single 274, Rolf Sorbo; triple 725, Rolf Sorbo.

Friday Nite 7 P.M.: Ladies' single 246, Thirza Shultz; triple 631, Thirza Shultz. Men's single 337, R. Skistod; triple 731, R. Skistod.

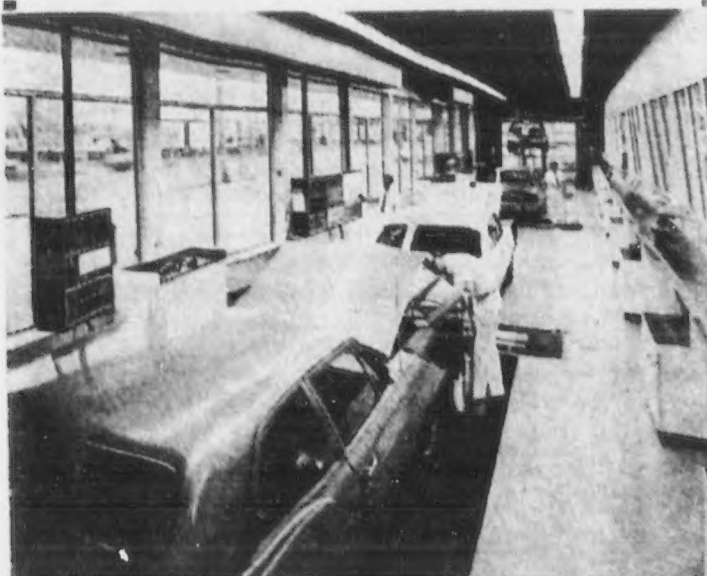
Friday 9 P.M. Ladies': single 291, Heather Wyman; triple 635, Heather Wyman. Men's single 210, John Dubois; triple 531, John Dubois.

Saturday 9 A.M. Simpsons: Girls' single 171, Joanne Watkins; double 294, Lois Knutson. Boys' single 255, Garth Roberts; double 451, Garth Roberts.

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TAKE OUT ORDERS
PARKING FOR 300
CARS

Held Over 1 Week

ENDS TUES. MAR. 3

ADULT

COMPLETE
SHOWS

6 & 9 p.m.
(Also Sunday)

**DAVID
LEAN'S
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OF BORIS
PASTERNAK



DOCTOR ZHIVAGO

EDMONTON CHILDREN PLEASE NOTE!
SPECIAL TEACHER'S CONVENTION

MATINEE THURS & FRI

FEB. 26 & 27

"The 3 Stooges in Orbit" plus
"Around the World in a Daze"

Family, All Seats (Mom too) 50¢ 1 p.m.

MATINEE SAT. & SUN.

FEB 28 & MAR 1 Sat. 1 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. 50¢

"30 Foot Bride of Candy Rock" plus
"Goliath and the Dragon"

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